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CONGRESSIONAL RECORD—DAILY DIGEST

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decree procedures, thus clearing the measure for further action of the House.

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Health Revenue Sharing: Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 14214, to revise and extend programs of health revenue sharing and health services, thus clearing the measure for action of the House.

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Rules of Evidence: Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 5463, to establish rules of evidence for certain courts and proceedings, agreed to conference with the House, and appointed as conferees Senators Eastland, McClellan, Ervin, Hart, Burdick, Hruska, Scott of Pennsylvania, and Thurmond.

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Presidential Message: Senate received a message from the President transmitting Seventh Annual Report of the Department of Transportation covering departmental activities for fiscal year 1973—referred to Committee on Commerce.

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Presidential Communication: Senate received a communication from the President transmitting proposals for 37 additions to the National Wilderness Preservation System—referred to Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

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Senate Authorizations: During the adjournment of the Senate until 9:45 a.m. on Tuesday, December 10, the Secretary of the Senate is authorized to receive messages from the House of Representatives, and the President pro tempore and Acting President pro tempore are authorized to sign duly-enrolled bills and joint resolutions.

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Rockefeller Nomination: Senate debated the nomination of Nelson A. Rockefeller, to be Vice President of the United States, and, in accordance with prior unanimous consent agreement, 1 additional hour of debate will begin at 2 p.m. tomorrow, with vote on question of his confirmation to occur at 3 p.m.

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Nominations: Senate received the nominations of John T. Elfvin, to be U.S. district judge for the Western District of New York; and

A list of Marine Corps nominations.

Also, the nomination of William A. Anders, of Virginia, to be a member of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, received on December 2, was taken from the desk and referred to Joint Committee on Atomic Energy.

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Record Vote: One record vote was taken today. (Total—497.)

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Program for Tuesday: Senate met at 10:30 a.m. and adjourned at 5:16 p.m. until 9:45 a.m. on Tuesday, December 10, when, after two special orders for speeches, it will take up (under time limitation agreement) S. 4033, and H.R. 16609, supplemental AEC authorizations bill, possibly to be followed by S. 1988, Fisheries Jurisdiction Bill. At 1 p.m. Senate will resume consideration of amendments in disagreement to H.R. 16900, supplemental appropriations. At 2 p.m. it will resume debate on the nomination of Nelson A. Rockefeller to be Vice President, with vote on question of his confirmation to occur at 3 p.m.

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Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

BUDGET RESCISSIONS AND DEFERRALS

Committee on Appropriations: Committee met in executive session to consider H.R. 17505, making recommendations on certain budget rescissions proposed by the President through November 13, 1974, but made no announcements and recessed subject to call.

INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations began hearings on proposals to strengthen congressional oversight of the Nation's intelligence agencies (S. 1547, 2738, 4019, and S. Res. 419), receiving testimony from Senators Baker, Mathias, and Nelson; and Ramsey Clark, New York City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 16 public bills, H.R. 17580-17595; 1 private bill, H.R. 17596; and 6 resolutions, H.J. Res. 1175, H. Con. Res. 691, and H. Res. 1487-1490 were introduced.

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Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Conference report on S. 3341, Travel Expense Amendments Act of 1974. Filed on Friday, December 6 (H. Rept. 93-1525);

Conference report on S. 3164, Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act (H. Rept. 93-1526);

H.R. 17382, to provide for the establishment of an American Folklife Center in the Library of Congress (H. Rept. 93-1527);

H.R. 16596, to amend the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act of 1973 to provide additional jobs for unemployed persons through programs of public service employment (H. Rept. 93-1528); and

Report entitled "Small Business Problems Involved